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## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Appln. of: Goddard et al.

Appln. No.: 10/735,014

Filed: December 12, 2003

For: SECRETED AND TRANSMEMBRANE  
POLYPEPTIDES AND NUCLEIC ACIDS  
ENCODING THE SAME

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Art Unit: 1636

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Mail Stop Amendment  
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## TRANSMITTAL

Sir:

## Attached is/are:

- ☒ Preliminary Amendment  
☒ Return Receipt Postcard

## Fee calculation:

- ☒ No additional fee is required.  
☐ Small Entity.  
☐ An extension fee in an amount of \$\_\_\_\_\_ for a \_\_\_\_\_-month extension of time under 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a).  
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					Small Entity			Not a Small Entity	
	Claims Remaining After Amendment		Highest No. Previously Paid For	Present Extra	Rate	Add'l Fee	or	Rate	Add'l Fee
Total		Minus			x \$9=			x \$18=	
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First Presentation of Multiple Dep. Claim					+\$145=			+\$290=	
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Respectfully submitted,

16 August 2004  
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## PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

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Dear Sir:

Prior to substantive examination of the above captioned patent application, and for calculation of the proper filing fee, Applicants respectfully request that the following amendments be entered:

**Amendments to the Specification** begin on page 2 of this paper.

Please amend the specification by inserting the below paragraph before the first paragraph of the specification:

--This application is a continuation of U.S. Application Serial No. 09/944,852 filed 8/31/2001, which is a continuation of and claims priority under 35 USC §120 to US Application 09/866028 filed 5/25/2001, which is a continuation of, and claims priority under 35 USC §120 to, PCT Application PCT/US99/28301 filed 12/1/1999, which is a continuation-in-part of, and claims priority under 35 USC §120 to, US Application 09/254311 filed 3/3/1999, now abandoned, which is the National Stage filed under 35 USC §371 of PCT Application PCT/US98/25108 filed 12/1/1998, which claims priority under 35 USC §119 to US Provisional Application 60/075945 filed 2/25/1998.--